

Emergency Medical Services (EMS)

The Menomonie Fire Department has a staff of 29 personnel, all of which carry Wisconsin licensure for Emergency Medical Technician at various levels. Menomonie Fire Department's service license is at the Intermediate level with our medical direction provided by Dr. Shawn Swanepoel of the Red Cedar Medical Center. Lt. Matt Simpson and Lt. Andy Benrud manage the EMS branch.

The department operates three advanced life support ambulances that cover approximately 270 square miles of Dunn County. The service also covers the City of Menomonie and the University of Wisconsin Stout campus.

The department responds to all 911 calls for emergency medical care in our service area along with providing advanced life support intercepts to six outlying basic life support services. In addition to emergency response, the department provides interfacility medical transportation from the Red Cedar Medical Center to hospitals in Eau Claire, Wisconsin, Rochester, Minnesota, and the Twin Cities Metropolitan area.